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application of: El-Kik et al.

Examiner: David J. Huisman

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For: PROCESSOR SYSTEM INCLUDING INTERNAL ADDRESS GENERATOR FOR IMPLEMENTING SINGLE AND BURST DATA TRANSFERS

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Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith is a preliminary amendment in the above-identified application:

- () Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- () A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- () No additional fee is required.

The fee for additional claims presented in this amendment has been calculated as follows:

				SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims	Highest	No.	Rate	Fee	<u>OR</u>	Rate	Fee
	Remaining	Number	Extra					
	After	Previously Paid						
	Amendment	for						
Total	16	20	0	x\$9=	\$ 0	<u>OR</u>	x\$18=	\$0
Claims		(at least 20)						
Indep.	6	3	3	x\$42	\$0	<u>OR</u>	x\$84=	\$252.00
Claims	-	(at least 3)		=				
First Presentation Multiple \$				\$140	\$0	<u>OR</u>	\$280=	\$0
Dependent Claims +				=		0.0		
Total fee for added claims:					\$ 0			\$252.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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